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## Royals revival remains in play



HANNAH HUNSINGER | THE COLLEGIAN

**Kehouani Krimbill** and **Blade Mages**, both Manhattan residents, react to the Royals game while watching in Buffalo Wild Wings on Tuesday night, Sept. 30, 2014.

## Roberts' daughter addresses College Republicans

BY JON PARTON  
THE COLLEGIAN

After receiving word Sen. Pat Roberts would appear at a College Republicans meeting, the group heard from his assistant an hour before the event that the senator had to cancel. Instead, Roberts sent two campaign staffers and his daughter Ashley Black to speak.

Black said Roberts, a K-State alumna, still followed K-State football. The Roberts campaign plans to hold a tailgate before the game with Texas Tech Saturday.

Roberts is currently involved in a nationally watched senate race that could decide if Republicans will take control of both chambers of Congress. Since Democrat Chad Taylor dropped from consideration, Roberts and independent candidate, Greg Orman, are now involved in a tight race for the seat.

The most recent poll from the Democratic Public Policy Polling, released Sept. 16, showed Orman leading the incumbent Roberts 41 to 34 percent. Orman received a boost in polling numbers after Taylor dropped out of the race.

Roberts has brought in Republican heavy hitters such as former Gov. Jeb Bush, Sen. John McCain and former Sen. Bob Dole to help campaign for him. If Roberts loses, it would be the first time since 1932 Kansas sends a non-Republican senator to Washington.

Black then appealed to the group, asking them to get more involved.



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Members of College Republicans listen to Sen. Pat Roberts campaigner during their meeting in the Union on Tuesday night.

"It's (the race) very close," she said. "This isn't an election where you can sit on the sidelines."

Black briefly spoke about Orman, painting him as a hidden Democrat who supports President Obama. Though Orman did vote for Obama in 2008, he threw his support behind Mitt Romney in the 2012 presidential election according to an article by George Will in the Washington Post entitled "Staking the Senate on Kansas?"

"In Kansas, we have a candidate who's selling us the same bill of goods," Black said. "He says he's an independent and yet he voted for Obama and he's given money to

(U.S. Senate Majority Leader) Harry Reid, (former Secretary of State) Hillary Clinton – a lot of Democrat leadership."

Black opened the floor for questions and comments from the audience. Students brought up concerns over a number of issues, including education, health care, the national deficit and the National Security Agency spying on Americans.

In September, the Army announced that 500 troops from Fort Riley would deploy to Iraq to help assist Iraqi troops fight the Islamic state terror group. When asked about Roberts' stance regarding the deployment of troops to Iraq, Black offered

a nonspecific answer.

"I think he was really concerned," she said. "No one would deny it's a critical national issue. I think what he's concerned about is that the mission isn't clear. What is the broader strategy? That's something the president hasn't made clear."

Much of the discussion focused on college students who do not get involved with voting. College Republican president and junior in political science, Nick Strecker said it's up to college students to set things right.

"Now is the time," Strecker said. "I really feel like it's our generation that will fix things."

## Man arrested on charges of murder, child abuse

BY SHELTON BURCH  
THE COLLEGIAN

A Manhattan resident was arrested for first-degree murder and abuse of a child, according to a Riley County Police Department press release.

Alexander McConnell, 22, was arrested Monday with bond set at \$200,000. As of Tuesday night, McConnell was still being confined. No more information is being given at the request of the Riley County Attorney's Office, according to the release.

A phone call to the office was not immediately returned.

## Local, state talking points

BY KELSEY KENDALL  
THE COLLEGIAN

### US Department of Defense announces K-State partnership in 50th Vietnam War anniversary

At the K-State football game this Saturday, the U.S. Department of Defense will officially announce that K-State will be a partner in planning the national events commemorating the 50th anniversary of the Vietnam War, according to K-State Today.

Retired Army Lt. Col. Art DeGroat, the university's executive director of military and veterans affairs, said in an email that there will be three to four events each year from 2015-17, marking the three key years of the Vietnam War.

"This is a noble undertaking to do this properly in honor of the people that this anniversary commemorates," DeGroat said in an email. "I look forward to the privilege, challenge and reward of doing so."

The events will honor and thank veterans of the Vietnam War and their families, as well as pay tribute to allies and scientific advances made during the war.

### K-State vet student receives national award

Jacob Hagenmair, a third-year student in veterinary medicine, was one of 15 students nationally to receive the American Association of Bovine Practitioners' Bovine Student Recognition Award. The award was presented, along with a \$5,000 scholarship, at the association's conference in Albuquerque, New Mexico, to which Hagenmair had an all-expense paid trip.

"The support they have given me via this scholarship will help tremendously," Hagenmair told K-State Today.

Hagenmair said he intends to use the scholarship to pursue his goals to make positive contributions to the agricultural production industry, according to K-State Today. He would like to pursue a career in beef production medicine.

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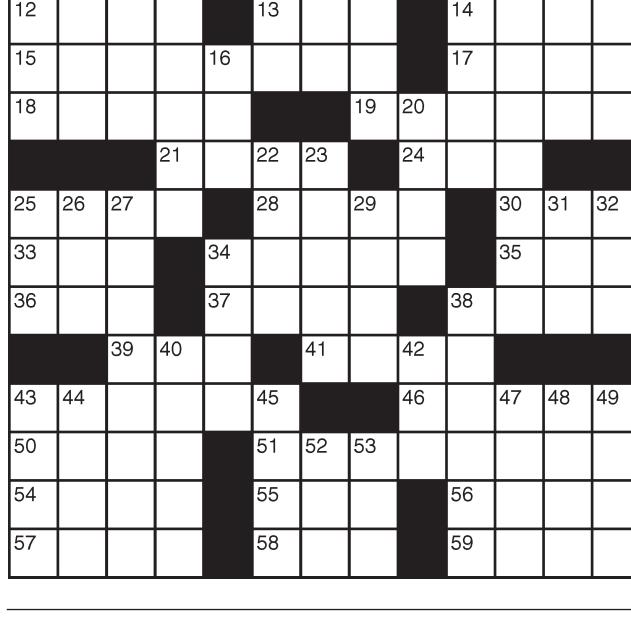
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#### ARREST REPORTS

Monday, September 29th

**Cody Michael Jones**, of 13620 Crooked Creek Road, Leonardville, was booked for obstructing the legal process. Bond was set at \$1,000.

**Daylen Robert Vessar**, of 2013 Kerr Drive, was booked

for electronic solicitation and unlawful voluntary sexual relations. Bond was set at \$75,000.

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By Dave Green

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## Restaurant Dancing Ganesha means party for palette



SAHIL ARORA | THE COLLEGIAN

Chicken Tikka Masala at the Dancing Ganesha. The recently opened Aggierville restaurant serves Indian food.



**JON PARTON**  
THE COLLEGIAN

You know you're in the Aggierville when even the restaurants have multiple TVs, all featuring sports. Upon entering the Dancing Ganesha, located at 712 N. Manhattan Ave., I thought I accidentally walked into another nondescript bar found in the area. Aside from the tables in the front, the Indian restaurant

features a large bar in the back. Don't get me wrong, I understand the necessity of serving alcohol in a bar district. However, if the food stands so well on its own, it's a shame to think it might not take precedence over the liquor. It came as a shock to me just how satisfying their offerings are.

I visited on a quiet Sunday afternoon, a time when the normal Aggierville crowd is at home nursing hangovers from the night before. The restaurant offers separate lunch and dinner menus, each one with a diverse selection.

The interior of the restaurant features contemporary decor. Dim lighting contributes to the ambiance, though I did find it a little disconcerting as I was

seated at the bar. I have to admit, I wasn't expecting much from an Indian restaurant in Aggierville — besides a quick trip to the restroom immediately after the meal. Plus, I know how terrible most bar food is. Would I be served the equivalent here?

For those who have never had Indian cuisine, a lot of dishes make use of thick sauces made from yogurt or cream. Staple foods include vegetarian options and the use of curries, a combination of spices sometimes used to bring spicy heat to a meal.

A true test of any Indian restaurant is chicken tikka masala. The dish, a staple of any Indian restaurant, can be made in a number of different ways. I found their version to be Americanized, mild yet pleasant with a

number of spices that accent the flavor rather than overpower it.

Two slices of naan, a crispy yet chewy flatbread, are served with meals. Although the naan was satisfying on its own, it was perfect when dipped in sauce. My only complaint is the small portions of naan served with a meal. I found myself wanting a lot more naan and less of the basmati long-grain rice.

The other dish sampled was the shrimp mango curry. Large prawns and slices of onions filled the bowl, swimming in a thick, sweet and spicy sauce. The concoction was phenomenal. The obvious sweetness of the mango was contained by the mild heat of the curry. A couple seconds after the tongue tasted the mango, the aftertaste consisted of spicy

goodness that combined with the lingering sugary sauce.

Perhaps the biggest surprise was the quality of their mango pudding. Generous pieces of mango are submerged in a light, uncooled sweet pudding, leading to a natural sweetness that wasn't overpowering. The prices are fairly reasonable as well. For a lunch for two, the bill came to just a little more than \$22.

I highly recommend the Dancing Ganesha. If you have ever been there and never tried the food, you're only cheating yourself out of a great experience.

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### Slightly sarcastic horoscopes from Madam LoCoco



**IRIS LOCOCO**  
THE COLLEGIAN

#### Libra (Sept. 23 - Oct. 22)

When going out with friends, choose an outfit that says something about who you are, such as, "My entire personality is a tacky dumpster of clichés."



#### Scorpio (Oct. 23 - Nov. 21)

You could be taken aback by a situation that pops up unexpectedly. Have a talk with your roommate about not buying those gross unfrosted PopTarts.



#### Sagittarius (Nov. 22 - Dec. 21)

Tensions arise in your personal life. Try yoga to relax.



#### Capricorn (Dec. 22 - Jan. 19)

You could feel strange about demands that are being made of you. Avoid downward dog and a visibly distraught Sagittarius.



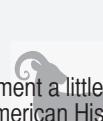
#### Aquarius (Jan. 20 - Feb. 18)

If you choose to take a backseat, be sure to check the cab driver's license.



#### Pisces (Feb. 19 - March 20)

Let go of what is no longer working for you. If the horse is dead, dismount. Or at the very least, beat it hard enough that its incessant twitching might have a shot at imitating life.



#### Aries (March 21 - April 19)

You might want to check over your official enrollment a little more carefully, Aries. Your major is listed as, "American History" not, "Embarrassing Histrionics," though the latter might be a bit better suited to your faculties.



#### Taurus (April 20 - May 20)

You often practice turning the other cheek when others do you wrong, but only because your intended comeback was too cruel and you've decided to let them live ... for now.



#### Gemini (May 21 - June 20)

You display an unusual knack for identifying people who may become mean and nasty under pressure. The mean and nasty can always readily identify the meander and nastier, after all.



#### Cancer (June 21 - July 22)

You may need to clear the air with a specific person or possibly a group of people. Apologize for eating all that Thai food yesterday.



#### Leo (July 23 - Aug. 22)

Your new gig as a nude art model might not go as smoothly planned, primarily because you were never invited, but also because it's a pottery class and they're making ceramic coffee mugs.

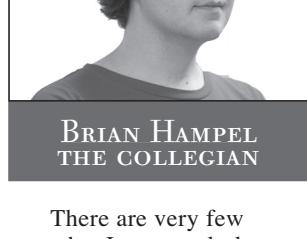


#### Virgo (Aug. 23 - Sept. 22)

You may aid in a scientific discovery this week when a team of research biologists cordons off your apartment to investigate an old Tupperware container in your fridge for evidence.



## CamScanner application is a must-have accessory for college students



**BRIAN HAMPEL**  
THE COLLEGIAN

There are very few apps that I use regularly, and CamScanner is one of them. As the name suggests, CamScanner uses my phone's built-in camera like a scanner. You photograph a document, then it squares up the edges so the end result doesn't have the perspective warping problem that a regu-

lar photo would have.

I have spent way too much time in the past trying to hover my camera directly above a drawing and aim perpendicularly to get a usable, squareish photo. Now, CamScanner does the work for me.

I'm majoring in architecture, so the use of CamScanner is obvious to me. It helps me quickly save drawings and sketches without the usual perspective problem of a camera. I don't have to take every single drawing to the library if I want a digital copy. In fact, the night I discovered CamScanner was the night before a studio deadline; I desperately needed to scan a line drawing and put it into Photoshop. Now, the library was closed for the

night, so CamScanner came to my rescue.

Even if your academic field doesn't require you to draw, CamScanner is great for keeping quick records. If you've ever taken a photo of a syllabus, a flyer or a list of phone numbers and email addresses, you can do better than the plain camera.

"I'm really impressed with the interface," Nick Nelson, graduate student in architecture, said. "It's obvious that someone put time into making this usable. The app makes a guess for itself, and it usually does a good job, but the corners are wonderfully easy to adjust if it's a little off."

I passed my phone around studio for my classmates to try, and no one had

any difficulty getting a good scan of our latest project statement or a page from a sketchbook.

"I'm totally going to start digitizing my sketchbook," Kevin Perks, graduate student in architecture, said. "My scanner is the slowest thing ever, and it's too much hassle to go to the library every time I draw something, but this is actually easy. How have I never heard of this app?"

CamScanner can't work magic with a lousy camera. That said, smartphone cameras are getting better all the time. The camera on my old Motorola Droid 4 was good enough to get a clear, readable scan of any 8.5-by-12-inch sheet of paper, and my new Droid Maxx's cam-

era has already proven itself on ink drawings 18 inches across.

After the initial scan, you also have a few color-enhancing options. "Lighten" and "black and white" work well for line drawings or text, and "magic color" is a generally good, quick enhancer for color drawings if you're not planning to touch it up in Photoshop. The app also has brightness and contrast sliders, but I would have preferred a few sliders like Photoshop's levels adjustment tool. Still, the color enhancements get the job done.

Creating multi-page documents is possible, but the way to do it isn't perfectly intuitive. I sometimes

mess it up or accidentally combine multiple scans that I didn't want to. But once I have a document created, the "share" command makes it easy and convenient to access through email, Dropbox, Google Drive, Cubby, etc.

On the whole, CamScanner is a solid, usable app that I will happily keep around. It's not a miracle worker, but it's easy. Anyone who ever needs to save a drawing or graphic will find the app quick and convenient, and any student who scans an assignment for reference will be glad they did.

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I was twenty three and getting ready to graduate with a couple undergrad degrees from Kansas State University and I was faced with a dilemma. Should I continue in my line of study and move on and away to law school, or should I stay in Manhattan and venture into the great unknown of small business entrepreneurship? Days of deliberation later, while toiling away as a bike mechanic at The Pathfinder, I had come to the conclusion that sometimes life has a way of leading to the greatest outcome if a person is properly prepared for all possible conclusions. I did just that and let the world do what it would with me. Ask sometime how it all came about, it's a fun story. So, here I find myself six years later co-owner and operator of Big Poppi Bicycle Co. - it still seems like such a whirlwind.

Ultimately in my heart Manhattan is where I wanted to be. That was something I knew this half-way through my time at KSU. I also understood how hard it was going to be to find a good career path as a young professional in town - an opportunity that would allow me to grow as a person, accomplish milestones like buying a home, starting a family and being able to contribute to the community that I came to love. Starting a new business is scary. So many questions left unanswered, so much to learn in such a short period, so overwhelmed you as you glide across trail, road or path. Please try to argue the down side to a world that embraces life on two wheels. Our passion is for people, our vehicle is a bicycle; united they have allowed us to bring people together and accomplish unimaginable goals. We are just getting started, Manhattan is the backdrop for an amazing cycling community and we are proud to be a part of your goals, hopes, and dreams. In turn, we

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## 'Cats prepare for Texas Tech high-octane offense

BY TIMOTHY EVERSON  
THE COLLEGIAN

**K**-State's defense has been on a journey so far this season.

They went from a shrouded mystery of junior college transfers and new players in the preseason to a gigantic warning light after the first half of their game against Iowa State on Sept. 6. However, the tides turned after a much stronger performance against No. 5 Auburn and shutting down one of the most prolific rushing offenses in the country in UTEP.

"It's exciting to see our preparation and our hard work pay off," senior linebacker Jonathan Truman said of his defense's recent success. "Then again, our defense is very level-headed and we have honest self assessment in ourselves and of the whole team. We're just focused on taking the next step each week and each day and getting better."

On Saturday, the Wildcats and their defense takes on a totally different offensive beast.

Texas Tech has maintained its reputation as a pass-first offense with an unending stream of pass-heavy quarterbacks. It's a lineage that leads back farther than when current head coach and former Red Raider quarterback Kliff Kingsbury played for Tech in the late '90s and early 2000s.

The fast passed, break-neck offensive style that Kingsbury perfect in Houston with Case Keenum and at Texas A&M for Johnny Manziel's certainly has its charms, but it also comes with its fair share of perils.

"It has its disadvantages and its advantages as well," head coach Bill Snyder said in his Tuesday press conference. "From a defensive standpoint, the obvious thing is that you don't have really have time to sit and process things as thoroughly as you might like to."

However, the Wildcats are concerned with more than watching the Red Raiders throw balls over their heads all evening.

"You can't put all of your eggs

in one basket," Snyder said. "Texas Tech runs the ball more than people would believe and some of those passes are really run plays when they put the guy in motion a pitch the ball forward like we've done with (Tyler) Lockett. That's a completed pass and it's more of a run play. So you're looking in the vicinity of 60-to-40 pass to run (ratio) and that's a pretty decent balance when you look at it that way."

The more balanced attack plays into the cards of K-State's up-and-coming rush defense.

They held UTEP running back Aaron Jones, a top 10 rusher in the country, to a mere 47 yards rushing. They also held Auburn, hailed as one of the top offensive teams in the country, to 128 yards rushing on Sept. 18.

It's those numbers that have helped K-State gain a nationwide reputation that has led to a No. 23 ranking in this week's AP poll.

"Our coaches do a great job with our game plans," Truman said of his defensive unit. "The guys out there on defense take great pride in their preparation. When you have a bunch of guys that care about each other and want to make plays for each other, then we're going to do a great job."

The fruits of this defense's labor provides more than just a strong on-field performance. The strength of this defense has also translated into a high level of competition in practice.

"That helps us," senior quarterback Jake Waters said of his defensive teammates' prowess that came from its performance against Auburn and intensity in practice. "That helps our receivers, that helps our linemen; it helps everything. You want to go against the best to get better and that's the best way to get better. We use every day in practice as an opportunity to do that."

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Freshman linebacker **Trent Tanking** brings down Iowa State running back **DeVondrick Neal** at Jack Trice Stadium on Sept. 6, 2014. The Wildcats defeated the Cyclones 32-38.



## This week in club sports

compiled by Adam Suderman

### This past weekend:

#### Inline Hockey:

A trip to face Denver-area colleges in Lakewood, Colorado ended with an 0-4 record.

#### Men's Lacrosse:

Went to Marshall, Missouri for the Fall Brawl tournament at Missouri Valley University on Sept. 27.

#### Men's Rugby:

They claimed a 59-5 win over Oklahoma State.

#### Skydiving/Parachute:

Held 50th Anniversary Boogie in Abilene, Kansas

#### Softball:

Kansas Wesleyan University hosted K-State in a weekend tournament.

#### Women's Rugby:

The team stretched its record to 5-0 after a weekend trip to St. Louis, Missouri and a 24-12 win over the St. Louis Sabres.

#### Women's Soccer:

The team participated in a University of Colorado tournament in Boulder, Colorado; lost to Colorado 7-0 and Wyoming 2-1, while beating Nebraska 2-1.

### Upcoming:

#### Disc Golf:

Will participate in the Heartland Collegiate Disc Golf Championships in Ottumwa, Iowa on Oct. 4-5

#### Equestrian:

The IHSA Zone 7 Region 5 Horse Show will take place at Southern Illinois University in Carbondale, Illinois

#### Inline Hockey:

Fundraising by traveling to Kansas City and picking up the Kansas Speedway following NASCAR races.

#### Men's Rugby:

The team will host Iowa State on Oct. 4 at Memorial Stadium at 1:30 p.m.

#### Men's Soccer:

Two road games are coming up with the first at Wichita State on Oct. 3 at 7:00 p.m. and the second at Creighton University on Oct. 5 at 1:00 p.m.

#### Paintball:

The team will participate in the Vipergames: Tombstone Event on Oct. 4 in Guthrie, Oklahoma

#### Skydiving/Parachute:

Offering a first jump course on Oct. 3-4

#### Softball:

Hosting Central Missouri at Optimist Park on Oct. 5 at 10:00 a.m.

#### Swim:

Mock meet will take place at 1:00 p.m. at the K-State Natatorium

#### Women's Rugby:

Traveling to Boulder, Colorado to play the Boulder Babes

#### Women's Soccer:

Will face Kansas in Lawrence on Oct. 5

## Connie Jaffrey wins Johnnie Imes Invitational, team finishes second

BY AUSTIN EARL

THE COLLEGIAN

When push came to shove, freshman Connie Jaffrey was ready to go for the K-State women's golf team. Joining Jaffrey at the top of the rankings was teammates Carly Ragains, who finished tied for second place.

"The team did a great job, and of course I'm very proud of Carly and Connie for being up at the top of the leaderboard," head coach Kristi Knight said.

Jaffrey had a six-hole stretch on Tuesday that put her

position to win the tournament. She carded five birdies between holes eight and 14. That took her score down to 6-under for the day. She finished at 4-under for the day and 8-under for the tournament.

Ragains put together a nice tournament in her of the season. She played even in her first round, but her 5-under par second round put her near the top of the leaderboard. Her 1-under performance on Tuesday kept her tied for second at the end of the tournament.

The Wildcats' success was not limited to just individuals. The team finished in second, just four strokes behind Missouri, the host school of the

tournament. This is K-State's second top-two finish of 2014.

"It's still early in the year, but we had a good feeling coming into the year," Knight said. "We liked the players we had coming in, but you never know until you get started and start competing. Of course, there's a long way to go and we're just at the beginning. But we like what we see out of the team and they're playing well."

Jaffrey and Ragains were impressive, but it takes a whole team to finish as highly as the Wildcats did.

Sophomore Madison Talley was the third catalyst for the team and tied for eighth.

She played even for her first

two rounds, but then finished 2-under on the second day. Just five strokes behind Talley was senior Olivia Eliasson. She tied for 19th after posting her worst round of the tournament on Tuesday with a 4-over.

Sophomore Katherine Gravel-Coursol rounded out the scorecard at 11-over, tying for 44th. Junior Scotland Preston competed as an individual and finished tied for 60th. She was 17-over for the tourna-

ment.

K-State's next tournament is in Littleton, Colorado for the Ron Moore Women's Intercollegiate. The tournament will tee off on Oct. 10 at the Highland Ranch Golf Club.

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